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SUBJECT: INCOME TAX CONVENTION

REF: A. STATE 022038

B. STATE OF 213603 OF 9/74

1. APPRECIATE REFTTEL, WHICH PROVIDED PRETEXT ON WHICH WE HAVE PRESSED FOR FINANCE MINISTRY COMMITMENT ON FINAL TEXT OF CONVENTION. WE NOW SEEK TREASURY GUIDANCE IN RESOLVING WHAT WE HOPE WILL BE LAST DETAILS BEFORE INITIALLING.

2. INDONESIANS HAVE NOW EVIDENTLY RESOLVED BY INTERNAL CONSULTATION ALL THEIR REMAINING WORDING QUESTIONS EXCEPT FOR ONE ON WORDING OF ARTICLE 9, PARA GRAPH 1: AFTER THE WORD "AIRCRAFT" THEY BELIEVE PHRASE: "REGISTERED IN CONTRACTING STATE OF WHICH IT IS A RESIDENT" WAS INADVERTENTLY OMITTED FROM SECOND DRAFT. THEY WISH TO REINSTATE WORDING ON REGISTRATION. CHIEF INDONESIAN NEGOTIATOR IS NOT THE SAME MAN WHO CONDUCTED EARLIER SESSIONS WITH U.S. TAX TEAM. OUR RECOLLECTION AGREES WITH HIS RECORDS BUT WE CANNOT CONFIRM FROM OUR FILES. PLEASE ADVISE.

3. WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S CONFIRMING THAT
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INFORMAL FIRST-PERSON NOTE FROM AMBASSADOR TO

FOREIGN MINISTER IS ACCEPTABLE FORM FOR SIDE LETTER.
THIS FORM EMPLOYS "DEAR MR. MINISTER" SALUTATION SUGGESTED
BY REF C BUT CLOSES "SINCERELY YOURS". IF FORMAL NOTE
REQUIRED, SALUTATION CHANGES TO "EXCELLENCY, I HAVE
THE HONOR....," AND CLOSING "ACCEPT, EXCELLENCY, THE
RENEWED ASSURANCES..." IS APPROPRIATE, ACCORDING TO
OUR UNDERSTANDING. PLEASE ADVISE.
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